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Richard N. Groves, Esq. Deputy County Attorney Santa Cruz County 513 Morley Avenue Drawer 939 Nogales, Arizona 85621

Dear Mr. Groves:

We have reviewed your letter opinion dated May 20, 1975 addressed to Mr. Paul Hathaway, Santa Cruz County School District #28, relating to the organization of an eighth grade.

We have been advised that the eighth grade to be organized will be part of a junior high school composed of grades seven and eight. On that basis, we concur with your opinion.

Sincerely,

BRUCE E. BABBITT Attorney General

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Mr. Paul Hathaway
Santa Cruz School District #28 287-8758
Nogales, Arizona 85621

Dear Mr. Hathaway:

QUESTION: What is the procedure for organizing a new grade: i.e. an 8th grade?

ANSWER: Arizona Revised Statutes § 15-447 provides as follows:

The Board of Trustees may, with consent of the County Superintendent, organize (1) Intermediate schools composed of the 7th, 8th, and 9th grades of schools under its jurisdiction. (2) In Union high School districts intermediate schools composed of the 7th and 8th grades of the schools under its jurisdiction.

Therefore, if the Board is in agreement, all that need be obtained is the approval of the County Superintendent.

A copy of this letter is being sent to the Attorney General for concurrence.

Very truly yours,

Richard N. Groves, Deputy 287-3679 - Santa Cruz County Attorney

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